

LYOPHILIZED BEADS CONTAINING MANNITOL

ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

Mannitol in certain weight percentages can be used to produce lyophilized beads of consistent size, consistent morphology, and reduced moisture content. These mannitol-containing lyophilized beads are useful in a variety of biological applications where precise reagent amounts are required or moisture-sensitive components are utilized. PCR technologies represent one biological application where mannitol-containing lyophilized beads can be used.

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